



## Robert Paul Holden

September 1, 1950 - May 24, 2021

Robert Paul (Bob) Holden, 70, of Myrtle Beach SC passed away on May 24, 2021. Bob was born on September 1, 1950 in Pittsburgh, PA to the late Thomas Pollard and Marigrace Halen Holden.

He was predeceased in death by his brother, William (Bill) and Terrence (Terry) Holden.

He is survived by siblings Lynne Pace and husband Peter of Cornelius NC, Thomas Holden and wife Joan of Sykesville Maryland, and Tracey Saxby and husband Hal of Columbia SC. He was also survived by many nieces, nephews, great nieces, and great nephews and, of course, all of the family dogs throughout his life. His love of family was evidenced by the pictures in his home and office.

He graduated in 1968 from Howard High School in Ellicott City, MD where he played football and lacrosse. He later earned a Bachelor's Degree from the University of Maryland College Park and he loved his Terrapins.

Bob was in the automotive industry for many years. He always had an interest in computers and eventually started his own computer repair business, Computers and More, in Myrtle Beach SC. Throughout his career, he earned several awards and was highly respected for his dedication to his customers.

In addition to his passion for the Terps, Bob was also an avid sports fan. He enjoyed the Myrtle Beach golf courses, especially playing with anyone in his family. He had a passion for the NHL Washington Capitals and would talk to anyone about his Capitals.

An inurnment service will be held at Meadowridge Memorial Park in Eldridge, MD on June 18, 2021 at 2:30 PM.

Not only did Bob enjoy dogs, all dogs enjoyed him. In lieu of flowers memorials can be made to Palmetto Animal Assisted Life Services, a non-profit organization that trains service and assistance dogs. Donations can be made by visiting [www.paals.org/donate](http://www.paals.org/donate) and choose Memory/Honor. Donations may be mailed to Palmetto Animal Assisted Life Services, 221 N. Grampian Hills Rd, Columbia, SC 29522.803.788.7063.

# Previous Events

## Inurnment

JUN 18. 2:30 PM.

Meadowridge Memorial Park

# Tribute Wall

JW

“ *I am so sorry for the Holden family's loss. I have many fond memories of our antics in school - Jack White*

Jack White - June 18, 2021 at 12:13 PM

KA

“ *Our sincere condolences for your loss. May fond memories, dear friends and earnest prayer bring comfort at this time. Isaiah 41:13*

Kathryn - June 11, 2021 at 10:27 PM

WI

“ *1 file added to the album Memories Album*



Winnie - June 11, 2021 at 07:41 PM

WI

“ *1 file added to the album Memories Album*



Winnie - June 11, 2021 at 07:23 PM

WI

“ 3 files added to the album Robert Holden



---

Winnie - June 11, 2021 at 10:28 AM

JH

“ We are saddened by the sudden loss of our friend. Bob was our business "partner". He built our computers and kept them running perfectly throughout a 20 + year time frame. We often told him that he could not retire until we did. He left us all too soon. He loved his family and his friends, and was so proud of each of you. We all "matured" together, and we delighted in seeing his pictures. We could see how all of the babies and young people grew and changed through the years. Please accept our deepest sympathy for the loss of Bob to your family. We will never forget Bob.

*Jim and Pam Hardie*

---

Jim and Pam Hardie - June 10, 2021 at 09:29 AM

WI

*"Bob was my best friend. I met Bob in High School when we were both 15 years old. We shared the same birth month. Bob was my first date. We kept in touch over the last 65 years for every marriage, birth and death for both of our families. We got together to catch up whenever I would come down to the Beach to see my Aunt or to play some golf.*

*Whenever we got together, it was like we had just seen each other the day before. We had communicated through the Pandemic and checked on who had gotten their vaccinations and who was still not out of the woods. When Bill passed away, it was such a sad day, and just a few months ago. Bob was hoping to come up for the service in Elkridge, but then said he couldn't make it. We had plans to get together, if he had come up.*

*Life is full of meetings and partings; that is the way of it. I am forever grateful to have known Bob. He had a way about him that was a light and a spirit you couldn't dampen. He lived for his family. The world is a little worse for wear without him. I know I am."*

*Winnie*

---

**Winnie** - June 11, 2021 at 07:38 PM